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Agnew Would Outlaw Panther Propaganda

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Vice President Spiro T. Agnew said yesterday there should be a law against distribution of "inflammatory propaganda" by revolutionary groups in the United States.

Agnew was incensed by the Black Panther Coloring Book said to have been distributed to black children attending free breakfasts sponsored by the Black Panthers in two San Francisco churches and a public school.

A copy of the book, depicting policemen as pigs being shot and stabbed by black youths, was presented to the

Senate permanent investigations subcommittee Tuesday by a San Francisco police officer.

Chairman John L. McClellan, D-Ark., said yesterday that a copy of the coloring book had also reached the vice president, who forwarded it to the subcommittee.

"If there are no laws prohibiting the distribution of such inflammatory propaganda, there certainly should be," Agnew wrote in an accompanying letter.

"With that I certainly agree," said McClellan, who is conducting an inquiry into the relationship between student disorders and various organizations which allegedly advocate the use of violence to achieve Black Power and other objectives.

The subcommittee heard police testimony yesterday on the activities of five groups in the New York City area—Revolutionary Action Movement, Black Panther Party, Republic of New Africa, Students for a Democratic Society and the Student Nonviolent Coordinating Committee.